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For the prevention and cure of
BILIOUS and MALIGNANT FEVERS
is recommended
HAHN'S ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS
THIS Medicine has been attended
with a degree of success highly grateful
to the inventor's feelings in several parts
of the West Indies and in the Southern
and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons
can be adduced, who have reason to be-
lieve that a timely use of this salutary
remedy has, under Providence, preserved
their lives when in the most alarming cir-
cumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak
more in favour of a medicine than col-
umns of pompous eulogy founded on
mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously pro-
posed as an infallible cure, but the inven-
tor has every possible reason that can re-
sult from extensive experience for be-
lieving that a dose of these Pills taken
once in every two weeks during the pre-
valence of our bilious fevers, will prove
an infallible preventive; and further,
that in the earlier stages of those diseases
their use will very generally succeed in
restoring health, and frequently in cases
esteemed desperate and beyond the power
of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly
mild, so as to be used with safety by per-
sons in every situation and of every age.
They are excellently adapted to carry
off superfluous bile and prevent its mor-
bid secretions—to restore and amend the
appetite—to produce a free perspiration
and thereby prevent colds which are of-
ten of fatal consequences. A dose never
fails to remove a cold if taken on its first
appearance; they are celebrated for re-
moving habitual costiveness—sickness at
the stomach and severe head-ache—and
ought to be taken by all persons on a
change of climate.

They have been found remarkably effi-
cacious in preventing and curing disor-
ders attendant on long voyages, and
should be procured and carefully preserv-
ed for use by every seaman.

Hamilton's Elixir,
A sovereign remedy for colds, obste-
inate coughs, asthma, sore throats, ca-
tarrhs, and approaching consumptions—
To persons who have children afflicted
with the **HOOPING COUGH**, this dis-
covery is of the first magnitude, as it af-
fords immediate relief, checks the pro-
gress, and in a short time entirely re-
moves the most cruel disorders to which
children are liable. The Elixir is per-
fectly agreeable, and the dose so small
that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,
Is recommended as an invaluable me-
dicine for the speedy relief and perman-
ent cure of
Nervous Disorders Violent cramps in
Consumptions the stomach and
Lowness of spirits back
Loss of appetite Indigestion
Impurity of blood Melancholy
Hysterical affection Gout in the stomach
Inward weaknesses Pains in the limbs
and debility Relaxations, etc.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.
A safe and effectual remedy for acute
and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic
gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white
swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain
in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Lee's Ointment for the Itch.
Warranted an infallible remedy at one
application, may be used with perfect
safety by pregnant women, or on infants
a week old, not containing a particle of
mercury or any dangerous ingredient
whatever, and not accompanied with that
tormenting smart which attends the ap-
plication of other remedies.

**Hahn's true & genuine German Corn
Plaster.**
An infallible remedy for corns, speedily
removing them root and branch, with-
out giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion,
So celebrated among the fashionable
throughout Europe, is an invaluable cos-
metic, perfectly innocent and safe, free
from corrosive and repellent minerals,
the basis of other lotions, and of un-
paralleled efficacy in removing blemishes
of the face and skin, freckles, pimples,
inflammatory redness, scurf, tetter, ring-
worms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,
A sovereign remedy for all diseases of
the eyes, whether the effect of nature
weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.
The only remedy yet discovered which
gives immediate and lasting relief in the
most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops
For the cure of agues, remittent and
intermittent fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets
may be had gratis, describing cures per-
formed by the above medicines, the num-
ber, importance and respectability of
which, fully justify every article of this
advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
September 26 King-st. Alexandria.

Molasses, Paper, &c.
EIGHTY hhds choice retailing molasses
600 reams writing paper
20 hhds whiskey—for sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
July 10

French Plaster.
ONE hundred and fifty tons on board the
ship *Washington*, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
July 20

Claret.
A FEW cases of Medoc Claret, of a su-
perior quality, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
July 20

Wagons, Furniture, &c.
SAMUEL WARD has received per brig
Susan, and other late arrivals, a large
quantity of Goods in his line, comprising
the following articles:
30 wagons with harness, 3 with tops
300 chairs of different kinds
4 sofas and settees; children's chairs
6 sideboards of the newest fashion
40 bureaux of different prices
60 tables do
20 light stands do
10 work tables do
10 wash stands do
8 secretaries and book cases
150 looking glasses from 1 to 25 dolls
3 dozen grass mats
2 dozen hearth and floor brushes
6 dressing bureaux
12 leather beds and mattresses
2000 feet mahogany in boards
1 dozen small hoes for gardening
4 gross bed screws; 1 doz bed keys
16 dozen bed caps; 15 do table hinges
6 dozen sacking bottoms at 18s
16 portable desks
Easy chairs and night stools
ALSO,
70 trunks of different sizes
800 chip hats
Boots, shoes and hats
Saddles, bridles and whips
6 bundles of steel, very low priced
Cast steel axes and common do
LIKewise,
10 kegs butter
10 bbls New England Rum
4 bbls crackers of the first quality
TOGETHER WITH
Letter paper and bills of lading
All of which will be sold on good terms
at the Cabinet warehouse, foot of Prince-st.
July 13

Wm. Devaughn,
HAIR-DRESSER AND PERFUMER,
Royal-street, Alexandria.
HAS just received and offers for sale at
his shop, a few cases of Razors, of a
superior quality, for travelling, with six
blades. Also,
Ladies' and gentlemen's dressing cases
Cloth brushes; hat do; hair do; nail do
Shaving do; tooth do; rouge in pots
Almond paste; oil Antigua; pomatum
Cologne water; lavender do of superior
quality; hair powder; powder puffs
Naples soap for shaving; vegetable do
Rose do; palm do; wash balls
Shaving soap; tuck combs; pocket do
Dressing do; pocket gloves; whips
Pencil cases; beaver gloves; whips
Webb's N. York suspenders; French do
Hopkins's razor straps; Packwood's do
Shaving boxes; shaving glasses
Canes and rattans; watch chains
And a variety of other articles, too tedious
to mention.
July 21

A Dry Nurse,
WHO can come well recommended as
to character and disposition, may
obtain good wages and an eligible situation
by applying at the office of the Gazette.
None other need apply. A middle aged or
elderly colored woman, accustomed to the
care of children, would be preferred.

30 Dollars Reward.
RAN away from the subscriber's farm,
near Piscataway, Md. on or about
the 1st day of March, 1818, a dark mu-
latto man named Nick, five feet ten or
eleven inches high, slender made, a little
deaf, speaks a little through his nose, has
been in the habit of wearing rings in his
ears, but may have taken them out to
avoid discovery. Said negro Nick has a
wife on Mr. Thomas A. Diggs's land,
near Port Washington, and is probably
harbored in that neighborhood. I will
give the above reward of Thirty Dollars,
if taken out of the State of Maryland
and Twenty if taken in the State, more
than ten miles from home—it within ten
miles of home, Ten Dollars.
JNO. H. BEANES.
April 23

Ten Dollars Reward.
RAN away from the subscriber, on
the night of the 7th June inst. an
apprentice to the Printing Business, na-
med JOHN SETON, born in Ireland, be-
tween 16 and 17 years old, dark com-
plexion, eyes and hair red and took
with him, a long blue cloth coat, second
quality, gray ribbed pantaloons, striped
summer vest, cotton stockings, ruffled
shirt, a coran hat, besides coarse shirts,
a great coat of brown cloth, with a vel-
vet collar, and silver hook and eye, a
pair of blue cloth trousers, and other
clothing not recollected. It is believed
he is gone to New-York.
Whoever takes up said apprentice, con-
fines him in any jail in the United States,
and gives me legal information of the
same, shall receive the above reward.
WILLIAM M'CORKLE,
Editor of the Freeman's Journal Philad.

Hardware.
LEWIS HIPPINS has received per
the Mohawk, via Baltimore, a small
addition to his former assortment of hard-
ware, which renders the assortment toler-
ably complete and extensive,
AMONG WHICH ARE,
Shoe thread in balls, of good quality
English bridle and skirting leather,
of superior quality
Men's and women's saddle trees
Plated chain spurs
Girth webbing
Waldron's grain and grass sitches
Sickles
Patent iron tea kettles
WITH A VARIETY OF
Cutlery & Mongery Goods;
all of which are offered at reduced prices
to punctual customers. June 11

Muscovado Sugar.
WILL be landed this day from on
board the British brig Fame, from
Barbados, at Merchants' wharf, and for
sale by the subscriber,
41 hhds prime muscovado sugar
JAMES PATTON.
July 6

Notice.
WOOD'S SELLERS to this place will
find it to their advantage by call-
ing on the subscribers, who have estab-
lished a wood yard, adjoining John Hun-
ter's ship yard.
LEONARD MAREURY,
JOSEPH HUNTER.
June 22

Bank of Alexandria,
JULY 6, 1818.
A DIVIDEND of four per cent for the
last half year, is this day declar-
ed, and will be paid to the stockholders
in the institution, or their legal represen-
tatives, on Thursday the 9th inst.
J. L. McKENNA, Cashr.
July 7

Union Bank of Alexandria,
JULY 2, 1818.
STOCKHOLDERS in this institution,
are hereby notified, that on the capital
paid in, a dividend of four per cent,
from the profits for the last six months, is
this day declared payable on the 9th inst.
agreeably to order.
C. T. CHAPMAN, Cashr.
July 3

Bolting Cloths.
THE subscriber has this day receiv-
ed, a large and elegant assort-
ment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior qual-
ity, which will be offered for sale at the
store of Messrs. Butts & Cavendish, King-
street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a
complete assortment in future.
Sept 6 **AMOS ALEXANDER.**

Bath House.
THE subscriber respectfully informs
his friends and the public, that his
Bath House will be kept open during the
season, and no exertions on his part shall
be wanting to give satisfaction to those
who shall favor him with their custom.—
Two baths, distinct from the rest, are ex-
pressly reserved for the use of Ladies—
who will be waited on agreeably to their
directions. Tickets will be ready
for delivery on Friday next.
The subscriber has received by
the Norfolk packet, a quantity of Fresh
LIMES, which will enable him to keep a
constant supply of PUNCH, of the best
quality.
T. SHIELDS.
June 17

Bottled Porter and Ale.
JOSIAH H. DOE
HAS just commenced bottling best
Transparent Pale Ale and Porter,
(from the Georgetown and Philadelphia
breweries) on Duke street, between U-
nion and Water streets, where he will be
happy to meet the commands of his
friends and the public in general. To
those who are disposed to become regu-
lar customers, or wish to purchase by the
dozen or gross, will be made a handsome
discount.

Boarders Wanted.
Two or three boarders can be accom-
modated on moderate terms, by applying
as above.
June 30

Notice.
THE subscribers to the Falls Bridge
Turnpike Company residing in
Fairfax County, Virginia, who lately sub-
scribed with a view to enable the Com-
pany to build a Bridge across the lower
Ford of Difficult Run and to forward the
Turnpike road, are hereby notified that
they are required to pay to John Tem-
pleman, the Superintendent on the road,
or to his order, a monthly instalment of
ten dollars per share, to commence on
the 20th July next and to continue till
the whole amount of subscriptions are
paid up.
By order of the Board,
JOHN MURDOCH, Treas.
Georgetown, June 20, 1818.

Just Published.
JOSEPH MILLIGAN has this day
published a new edition of a Treatise
on being Born Again, without which
no man can be saved. By Saml. Wright,
D. D. To which is added, the Commu-
nicant's Spiritual Companion; or an E-
vangelical preparation for the Lord's Sup-
per, by the Rev. Thomas Haweis, rector
of Aldwinkle, Northamptonshire, and
chaplain to the right honorable earl of
Peterborough. Price bound 87 1-2 cts.
It may be had by application to any of
the principal booksellers in the district
of Columbia. July 3.

Robert Gray,
Next door west of the corner of King &
Royal Streets.
HAS just received on consignment,
the following BOOKS and STA-
TIONARY ARTICLES, viz:
Volney's Ruins; Thaddeus of War-
saw; Olney Hymns; Faneway's Letters
Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises
and Key;
Triumphs of Temper;
New-York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;
Episcopal prayer books
Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience
Chalmers's Discourses
Accidents of Human Life
Placide, a Spanish Tale; Manners, a
novel; Balance of Comfort
Letters from the Cape of Good Hope
Bonaparte's Letter to Lord Liverpool
Coke's Female Scripture Biography
Beauties of Robertson
Harrington and Ormond
Memoirs of Moreau
Bernadotte
Rachael Baker
Youth's Cabinet
Murray's Grammar, Abridged
Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and N
York Spelling Books
New-York Preceptor and Primer
Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes
Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology
Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus
Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen
Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry
Lord of the Isles
Sancho, or The Proverbialist
Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas
Patrie Revilged; French War in Spain
Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel
Simpson's Comic Sections
Willish's Lectures
Rambach's Meditations
Sidney on Government
Warren's America; Military Tutor
Family Prayers; American Star
Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons
Looking Glass for the Mind
Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments
Jess's Surveying
Johnson's Dictionary, large and small
Child's Monitor; American Nepos
History of England
Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards
Federalist; Clerk's Magazine
Columbian Letter Writer
Introduction to Reading
Episcopal Hymns, &c. &c.

Stationary.
Plain and fancy letter, superfine and
common cap writing and large brown
wrapping paper; band box and bonnet
boards; playing cards; ink powder, red
and black; black Morocco pocket books;
wedgewood cork and paper inkholders;
lead and slate pencils; superfine English
and American drawing paper; Reeves's
colors in boxes; German and octave
flutes; fifes and clarionets; black sand
and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank
checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers'
banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles;
manifests and powers of attorney; bank
books, copy and cyphering books, plain
and ruled ledgers journals day books
invoices, letter & common account books
in full and half binding. Orders for any
description of STATIONERY executed at
a short notice; and warranted for neat-
ness, strength and durability, equal to
any in the district. June 27.

Saddlery.
THE Subscriber returns his grateful
acknowledgments to the public for
the encouragement which he has met—
although small, it has met his most san-
guine expectations. He has on hand a
handsome assortment of articles in his
line of business, and solicits a further
participation in their encouragement.—
He has just received a handsome parcel
of English saddle and bridle leather, of
first quality—and assures the public that
no attention on his part shall be want-
ing to afford satisfaction to all who may fa-
vor him with their patronage.
N. B. Saddles and bridles of English
leather.
ROBERT F. DEGGE.
July 3

Notice is hereby given,
THAT application will be made to
the President and Directors of the
Bank of Potomac, for the renewal of the
certificates of two shares of stock stand-
ing in the books of the Bank of Potomac,
in the name of Joseph Dean.
HUGH SMITH,
Executor of Joseph Dean.

Notice.
I AM ready to contract for taking up
and repaving Duke and Water streets,
when the citizens owning property there-
on agree to repave the sidewalks at their
own expense, agreeably to an order of
Council, dated November 1, 1817, for
which purpose, and their accommodation,
a subscription paper is left with Mr.
Evan P. Taylor.
ROBT. BROCKET, Street Com.
May 4

Cheap Carpets,
(Suitable for Summer use,) &c. &c.
108 PIECES floor, passage & stair
carpeting, low priced
30 bags fiberts
500 lbs hulled barley
80 bundles cassia
170 groce velvet corks
50 bbls herring, No. 1—inspection
of last year, in sound order, and at a low
3500 gallons cider vinegar [price
40 dozen claret, low priced
20 dozen do very old, and fine
quality—For sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
June 17

Robert Gray
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends
and former customers, that he has
recommended the
Bookbinding and Stationary
Business,
next door to the corner of King and Roy-
al streets, and is prepared to execute any
orders in the Bookbinding business with
which he may be honored—he is also sup-
plied on commission, with a small assort-
ment of Stationary comprised of articles
most in demand, and particularly invites
the attention of juvenile customers to
articles used in schools, such as Cyphering
and Copy books, &c. which are made
of the best materials that can be procur-
ed and at the usual prices—orders from
Banks or public offices for any kind of
blank account books, can be executed in
a style of strength and elegance equal to
any in the United States. May 27

Tanning and Currying.
JOSEPH HESTON continues to car-
ry on the above business at his old
stand in Prince-street, between Water
and Union streets, where he will be al-
ways ready to execute orders in his line
with promptness and despatch.
He keeps constantly on hand a large
assortment of
Leather,
of as various qualities as can be found in
any shop in the District—which he will
dispose of at very low prices for cash.
It mo. 6

For Sale,
BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT,
DR. DEAN'S
Genuine Vegetable Rheumatic
PILLS.
So celebrated in New-England for the
many remarkable cures which they have
wrought, some of which are particu-
larly in the papers of directions, where
many thousand boxes are used annually
to general satisfaction.
These pills are recommended by men
of the first characters in the state of Mas-
sachusetts.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
January 20
ENGLISH AND GERMAN
ALMANACS, for 1818,
JUST published and for sale by the
gross, dozen or single one.
By **JOHN A. STEWART,**
Who has on hand,
a large stock of writing and letter paper,
pasteboards, slates, blank books, quills,
sealing wax, wafers, playing cards, and
paper for rooms.

School Books,
Among which are, the Greek and Latin
Classics, Dilworth's, Webster's, Mavor's,
Comely's, Murray's, Columbian and Phi-
ladelphia spelling books, Murray's, Web-
ster's, Ash's and Comely's grammars,
Murray's Primer, Introduction, Reader,
Exercises and Key, Am. Class Book,
Blair's Reading Exercises, New Intro-
duction to Reading, New-York Reader,
No. 1, 2 and 3, Scott's Lessons, En-
field's Speaker, Goldsmith's England,
Rome and Greece, Webster's Selection,
American Speaker, Doleley's and Crox-
all's Fables, Blair's Grammar of Chem-
istry, O'Neale's and Willet's Geography,
Dilworth's, Tator's, Jesse's & Jaudon's
Arithmetic, Johnson's, Sheridan's, and
Walker's Dictionary, Addison's I Maps,
etc. etc. together with a large stock of
Law, History and Miscellany.
Wholesale-purchasers allowed a libe-
ral discount.
August 21

Carpeting.
ON hand at the auction store corner
of Prince and Water streets, Hol-
land Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for
their durability)—of different widths and
qualities, which may be seen and pur-
chased at any time.
P. G. MARSTELLER.
June 18

Paper Hangings, &c.
THE subscriber has just received a
supply of French Paper Hangings,
among which are a number of Historical
and Landscape patterns. Cloth Paper,
etc. very beautiful. American Paper also,
low priced, by the piece or yard.
Likewise, a box of Prints, Caricatures,
etc. a great variety. Also.
Boston Window Glass,
of all sizes. He has made such ar-
rangements as always to be able to sell at
the Factory prices.
Paints and oil, gold leaf, looking-glasses,
trunks, etc. constantly for sale.
Painting, Glazing, Gilding and
Paper Hanging, in all their variety, exe-
cuted with neatness and despatch.
E. GILMAN.

Withers & Washington,
A FEW doors east of the Washington
Tavern, have just opened a hand-
some assortment of
Spring Goods,
which they offer at the most reduced
prices for cash.
March 26

Burr Mill-Stone Making.
THE Subscriber wishes to inform his
friends and the public, that he has
on hand a good supply of the first quality
Burr Blocks. His shop is near Col. Pey-
ton's store, where he can supply all Mil-
lars at the shortest notice with first rate
Mill stones, and which he will warrant
equal if not superior to any in the United
States, and will sell them at the most re-
duced prices—the workmanship superior
to any in the district.
Dec. 18. **ROBERT GLENN.**

Fifty Dollars Reward.
THERE came to the stables of the
subscriber, on Monday the 1st inst.
a person calling himself
Mr. PEYTON,
and obtained a horse and gig on hire, as
he said, to go to Ellicott's Mills, and re-
turn in the afternoon of the same day;
and as he has not yet returned, there is
strong reason to believe that his intention
is to swindle me out of my property. He
is about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, appa-
rently about 25 or 30 years of age, of
genteel appearance, and well calculated
to deceive.
The horse is a grey, about 15 hands
high, 9 or 10 years old, has a switch tail,
a speck on the right eye, and moves
swiftly. The gig has a green body, car-
riage and wheels black, the lining of blue
cloth, red stuff top, linings, plated dou-
ble—outside joints.
I will give the above reward for the
recovery of the horse and gig, and the
detection of the scoundrel, or 20 dollars
for the horse and gig only, and all rea-
sonable expenses: if delivered to me, No.
26, North Liberty street, Baltimore.
MICHAEL CAMPSALT.
Baltimore, June 8.

An Act
Incorporating a Company to establish a
Turnpike Road from Wiley's tavern, in
the county of Fairfax, to a point of
intersection on the Little River Turn-
pike Road, or on the line of the dis-
trict of Columbia. Passed February
14, 1818.
BE it enacted by the General Assem-
bly, that it shall be lawful to open
books at Fairfax court-house, and in the
town of Alexandria, under the direction
of Francis Peyton, Augustine I. Smith,
Wm. Moss, Johnston Cleveland, Amos
Alexander, Mordecai C. Fitzhugh, Jonah
Thompson, George Denecale and James
H. Hoar, or any three of them, for re-
ceiving subscriptions to the amount of
sixty thousand dollars, for the purpose of
making a turnpike road from Wiley's ta-
vern, in the county of Fairfax, to a point
of intersection on the Little River Turn-
pike Road, or on the line of the district
of Columbia, as shall be designated by
the directors of the company herein after
named.
When a sufficient number of shares
shall have been subscribed, the subscri-
bers, their heirs and assigns, shall be
and they are hereby incorporated into a
company by the name of "The Middle
Turnpike Company," agreeably to the
act, entitled, "An Act prescribing cer-
tain general regulations for the incorpo-
ration of Turnpike Companies."
This act shall be in force from the
passing thereof.
Richmond, March 11th, 1818.
The foregoing is a true copy of an Act
of the General Assembly, passed Febru-
ary 14th, 1818.
WILLIAM MUMFORD,
Keeper of the Rolls
April 30

Notice.
The subscribers to the Falls Bridge
Turnpike Company residing in
Fairfax County, Virginia, who lately sub-
scribed with a view to enable the Com-
pany to build a Bridge across the lower
Ford of Difficult Run and to forward the
Turnpike road, are hereby notified that
they are required to pay to John Tem-
pleman, the Superintendent on the road,
or to his order, a monthly instalment of
ten dollars per share, to commence on
the 20th July next and to continue till
the whole amount of subscriptions are
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By order of the Board,
JOHN MURDOCH, Treas.
Georgetown, June 20, 1818.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1818.

SELECTED.
HOME.

'TIS night, and o'er the hollow dale,
The gath'ring shades of evening close,
When warbling songsters cease their tale
On hawthorn hedge, or scented rose.

Yet welcome now this glim'ring light,
With tranquil, melancholy ray,
Sad emblem of the ills that blight
The pensive stranger's desert way.

Here with impatient steps I stray'd
From bowers of bliss, and groves of peace
To seek the joys which fancy made,
In hours of pleasure, health and ease.

In long-trod scenes of youthful days,
Affection tun'd each infant song,
High virtue walk'd her hallow'd ways,
And quiet call'd her chosen throng.

Sweet seasons fled! this sorrowing heart
Now seeks the prize it cannot find,
While mem'ry's fading visions start,
Alternate on the tortur'd mind.

Where, 'mid the maze of foreign climes,
Has pleasure wak'd so sweet a strain,
As that which rose in other times,
To lighten woe, and solace pain?

From golden spire, and circling dome,
From blooming lawn, or woodland glade,
Repeating sorrow turns to home,
And pants for each familiar shade.

These trembling feet have track'd the ground
Of struggling valor's deeds of praise,
Where ancient lyrics struck the sound
Of pleasure's tone or pity's lays.

Yet here, in glory's pictur'd way,
These eyes no living charms can see,
Since friendship's voice has ceas'd its sway,
Nor love, nor peace, remain for me.

In festive halls let mirth prolong
Her vigils through the midnight hour;
But sporting dances, and echoing song
Have yielded all their matchless power.

To other scenes this aching breast,
In swift remembrance fondly flies,
To noiseless vales, and shores of rest,
Where wisdom lives and passion dies.

For home, while cankering care destroys
The slaves of guilt, guilt, and fame,
Invites to share her secret joys,
With settle heart, and spotless name.

From the Liverpool Mercury of June 5.
HONORABLE CONDUCT OF THE AMERICANS.
Extract of a letter from St. John's, New-
foundland, Feb. 12, 1818.

"Above half this once extensive and va-
luable town was last year destroyed by fire.
This time twelve months such was the dis-
tress that the principal inhabitants, who
had escaped the calamity, were under the
necessity of feeding from 80 to 90 persons
daily. The scarcity of provisions was such
that the scanty proportion issued to the suf-
ferers was obliged to be defended by a
guard of 40 soldiers; and on the day of the
first arrival, there did not remain in the
town 5 cwt weight of grain of any kind, for
the support of from 12 to 14,000 inhabi-
tants.

"What do you think of our neighbors of
New England? These men, on hearing of
the destruction of the place, (and at a sea-
son when we could expect but little, if any
relief from the eastward) entered into the
most liberal subscriptions in Boston and
other places, for our relief, and in the most
prompt manner placed a fine new brig and
sent her to this place with bread, flour, &c.
as a gift to the distressed. One or two
others, we understand, were loaded at N.
York and other places, but the sea being
covered with ice, and the weather being so
excessively severe, there was no possibi-
lity of approaching the coast. Such acts of
disinterested generosity from men whom
we heretofore considered as our greatest
enemies, will derive additional brilliancy
from the fact, that at this time the greatest
reluctance was shown in the issues from the
King's stores; and when a barrel of flour
could be obtained, one third more than the
real value was extorted from the starving
man who appealed for it."

The following anecdote is related in a note
to Mr. Livingston's pamphlet on the N.
Orleans Baiture, page 122:

An unfortunate Scotchman, whose name
was Ferguson, was obliged, in pursuit of
fortune, to settle among some Germans in
the western part of the state of New York.
This name not exactly suiting their ears,
they translated it literally into German, and
called him Feuerstein. On his return to an
English neighborhood, his new acquaint-
ances discovered that Feuerstein in Ger-
man meant Flint in English. They re-
translated instead of restoring his name—
and the descendants of Ferguson go by the
name of Flint to this day. We must except,
however, one of his grandsons who settled
at the Acadia coast, on the Mississippi,
whose name underwent the fate of the rest
of the family; he was called by a literal
translation into French, "Pierre a feu!"
and his eldest son returning to the family
clan underwent another metamorphosis,
and was called Peter Gun!"

Errata in the "Critical Essay on the Fourth
Canto of Childe Harold's Pilgrimage."
In No. 1.

For "forcibly" read *forcefully*.
For "paroxysm" read *paroxysm*.
In No. 2.

After "eulogy" for "to" read *on*.
For "almost an" read *an almost*.
For "temperament" read *temperament*.
In No. 3.

After "pilgrim" for "reached" read *reaches*.
For "Rienhi" read *Rienzi*.
Before "rapidity" for "their" read *the*.
For "unsympathising" read *unsympa-
thizing*.

For "successfully" read *successfully*.

GREEN INDIAN CORN.
The Baltimore Patriot states, that 100
ears of Indian corn fresh from the stock,
sold in the market of that city, on Wednes-
day last, at 8 dollars 33 cents. At this rate
it is computed that one bushel of corn
would command 26 dollars 65 cents, and
a barrel 133 dollars 23 cents.

CROPS IN MARYLAND.
A gentleman in Maryland has given the
editor of the Washington City Gazette the
following statement of the prospect of the
crops in that state.

Tobacco—short crops. Wheat—the far-
mer will not realize his expectations. Oats
—poor crop. Corn—healthy, and promi-
ses an extraordinary and abundant crop.
Vegetables and pasturage—luxuriant.

Official accounts are published, that the
king of Spain has sold all the unceded
lands in the Floridas to the Duke of Alagon
and another nobleman. This is complain-
ed of; but he has as good right to sell these
lands as the president has to sell the lands
in the Alabama; and wants the money
much more. (Boston Centinel.)

Three of the Seminole friendly Indians
have visited Washington, to request indem-
nification for the destruction made of their
property by the U. States army during the
late Indian war. They have returned satis-
fied with the justice of the executive, and
have received short of two thousand dollars.
They accompanied Mr. Hambley, the bear-
er of Gen. Jackson's despatches. (Ibid.)

The Michigan paper anticipates the speedy
visit of steam boats to Detroit, and the
immense benefits which will result to the
territory by the water passage its citizens
will have to the ocean, through the grand
canal now prosecuted with so much spirit
in New-York. It informs, that harbors are
formed on Lake Erie; that light houses are
rapidly building; and that this inland sea,
in a great measure free from shoals or rocks,
with the improvements mentioned, instead
of being the most dangerous, will be the
surest Lake navigation in the country. (Ibid.)

UPPER CANADA.
We have accounts from Upper Canada
to the 9th inst. The town meetings for
the choice of representatives for the pro-
vincial convention, and for promoting Gour-
lay's plans, as far as avowed, continue to
be held. Some opposition is shown, but it
appears very inconsiderable. (Boston Patriot.)

Penn-Yan is a village in the western
part of New-York. It is so called from
being settled partly with Pennsylvanians,
and partly with Yankees or New-England
men. (N. Y. paper.)

Baltimore, August 4.
About 2 o'clock this morning, the citi-
zens were roused by the lately unusual cry
of fire. It was soon ascertained that the
elegant new steam-boat SURPRISE, be-
longing to Messrs. George Stiles & Son,
was in flames. The fire and hose com-
panies assembled with alacrity, and succeed-
ed in extinguishing the flames. The steam-
boat arrived from Annapolis last evening,
between 8 and 9 o'clock, at McClure's
wharf, and the fire used in heating the
boiler had been extinguished as usual, im-
mediately after her arrival; the captain
and hands had retired to rest about eleven
o'clock; and when roused five hours after-
wards by the flames, they discovered that
the fire had originated on the deck of the
vessel—it is therefore believed that it was
not the effect of accident or neglect.

Although the proprietors will sustain
considerable loss, and the public some in-
convenience, from the interruption of the
regular voyages of the steam-boat, during
the time which will necessarily be occupied
in making repairs, we are gratified that the
actual injury to the boat is not great, and
that the Surprise will soon be in a situation
to resume her usual course. (Fed. Gaz.)

Charleston, July 30.
By the arrival this morning of the brig
Rutky, capt. Wise, in 10 days from Turks
Island, we are informed that the heavy and
unusual falls of rain at that place had fresh-
ened the salt-ponds to such a degree as to

leave little or no expectation of their being
made productive for the remainder of the
season. No new salt was making, and but
little of the old was on hand. (Times.)

Savannah has shared in common with us,
the late seasonable and refreshing showers.
The city was uncommonly healthy, not a
single case of fever having occurred, altho'
the weather had been unusually warm.

Mr. Rufus Porter, of Portland, in the dis-
trict of Maine, has invented a Wind-Mill,
the motion of which is horizontal.—The
mill was in successful operation, and con-
structed on so simple a plan as to be man-
aged by a child twelve years old. (Ibid.)

Norfolk, August 4.
ANOTHER SEA SERPENT.
Captain Arnold, of the British brig Cora,
who arrived here on Saturday from Jama-
ica, has favored us with the following par-
ticulars:—On Friday the 31st of July, off
the Cape of Virginia, and 5 miles to the
southward of the False Cape, captain Ar-
nold being below shaving himself, the mate
called to him from aloft, saying there was
a rock ahead. Captain A. answered that
it was impossible; he however went on
deck, and saw about half a mile ahead an
object having very much the appearance of
a point of rock projecting about 4 feet be-
yond the surface of the water, being of a
dark brown color. Capt. A. was entirely
at a loss to account for this strange appari-
tion, not having the most distant idea of a
sea serpent at the time, and being ignorant
of the reappearance of those monsters on
our coast. It remained perfectly still for
about 5 minutes, and then moved with
great rapidity towards the shore, to the
great astonishment of those who saw it.—
"I think," (said capt. A. to his mate) "your
rock must have a steam engine in it; see
how swiftly it moves!" In a few minutes
it darted under the water, and they saw no
more of it. Capt. A. judges its length, for
he had a view of the whole of it while the
creature was moving on the surface of the
water, to be equal to that of his vessel, say
about 100 feet. On mentioning the occur-
rence to the pilot, who came on board soon
after, he observed that it was no doubt a
sea serpent, as one was reported to have
been seen not long since near the same
place by a northern sloop. (Herald.)

We regret to learn, (says the Charleston
Courier) that the enterprising proprietors
of the Steam-Boat Norfolk, have been com-
pelled, for want of adequate support, to
discontinue running that vessel between
Newbern and Elizabeth city, N. Carolina
—of course that line of communication
with the north, which promised so much
certainty and celerity is broken up.
[The Norfolk arrived here on Friday last,
and we understand will on Friday next re-
commence her regular run between this
place and Richmond.] (Ibid.)

FROM JAMAICA.
By the Cora from Kingston, (Jam.) we
have received from our esteemed corres-
pondent, papers of that place to the 14th
ult.—Flour was worth from 14s to 15 dol-
lars per bbl. At a public sale of coffee on
the 13th of July, that article was disposed
of at 16 per cwt or 18 cts per lb.—Another
sale was at 11s.—Triage, 80s.—A private
sale was also made for a small quan-
tity of prime at 16 2s 6d.

Com. Sir James Lucas Yeo arrived at
Port Royal from Santa Martha, in the Se-
miramis frigate, on the 4th of July.
Also the following vessels from the United
States:—Schr. Juliana, Wedgborough,
from Wilmington, N. C. and President,
Richardson, Charleston.

An American schr. from Edenton, N. C.
bound to New-Orleans, was cast away on
the Silver Keys, on the 1st of June.
The piratical cruizers still continue to be
troublesome.

Information had been obtained by the La
Pique frigate, while out on a cruise, that
the independent fleet had separated into
different divisions, owing, as stated, to a
disunion between Brion, Aury and Joly, as
to the right of the person entitled to be
chief in command. The Spanish squadron
lately ascertained to have arrived in the
West Indies, consisting of two corvettes,
two brigs, and two schooners, are said to
have compelled the independent cruizers
to leave the station they had taken to the
northward between St. Bartholomews and
Santa Cruz, but no action took place at the
time of the meeting. (Ibid.)

KINGSTON, July 11.
Extract of a letter from Port-au-Prince,
dated the 24th ult.

"A letter from Admiral Brion, dated on
board the corvette Vittoria, off the Island
of Mona, says, 'I am at present off here
with a large squadron, and was followed
some days by the Spanish squadron, supe-
rior to mine by one frigate, but am deter-
mined in a few days, when joined by some
of my vessels, to attack them. Our worthy
friend Bolivar was always victorious up to
the 27th ult. and I hope to join him soon
with 16,000 muskets.'"

"Brion has since been joined by Aury's
squadron, and report states that the latter
have taken possession of the Island of
Beata.

"A corvette, brig, and two schooners,
belonging to this place, have been cruising
off the south side of St. Domingo. They
have been extremely successful, in taking
several pirates with their prizes.

A SMALL FAMILY TO PROVIDE FOR.
At a late Durbar held by Runjeet Singh,
at Lahore, to receive a Vakeel returned
from Cashmere, with due honor, the fol-
lowing statement was received. What
might be the revenues of the state to meet
the expenses of portioning off these de-
scendants of Royalty, must be left to the
Chancellor of the Exchequer of that king-
dom—certainly, no European treasury
would be able to meet them.

The Vakeel from Cashmere was intro-
duced, and presented several presents—
he expressed the anxiety his sovereign felt
to continue on amicable terms with the
King of the Sikhs, and on being question-
ed respecting the resources of the kingdom
of Iran, he replied, that the king had a
large revenue, TWO HUNDRED AND
FIFTY SONS AND ONE THOUSAND
AND EIGHT WIVES.

(N. Y. Daily Adver.
A daring robbery was committed in
Philadelphia on Wednesday 21st on a stran-
ger who had arrived in the steam-boat
from Delaware. The stranger stated to
the captain that he was sick, when two
young men passengers volunteered their
services to conduct him to lodgings. Hav-
ing arrived at a house in Water-street, the
sick man wished them to bring a doctor, but
they insisted on his giving them half a dol-
lar first for the trouble they had had, and
whilst he was in the act of presenting one
of them the money, the other knocked him
down, and robbed him of 108 dollars, and
made their escape. (Ibid.)

THE ANALYTIC MAGAZINE, for June
last, in reviewing the "Memoirs of the
Life and Writings of Benjamin Franklin,"
observes that a most striking fact is con-
tained in a letter from Mr. Benj. Vaughan,
to Dr. Franklin—one that exemplifies the
early intellectual and moral superiority of
the mechanical classes of the English col-
onies over those of any other part of
the world, is that the most extensive of the
present scientific and literary institutions
of Philadelphia, originated with young
tradesmen, in great part, the club of which
Franklin discourses with so much satisfac-
tion, and of which he says, that it was the
best school of philosophy, morality, and
politics, which existed in the province.—
The fifty persons who composed the whole
list of the subscribers to the Philadelphia
Library, were mostly, as he relates, of the
same vocation—and the library, he adds,
was the mother of all the North American
libraries—which, making the common
tradesmen and farmers as intelligent as
some gentlemen from other countries, con-
tributed in some degree, to the stand gen-
erally made throughout the colonies in de-
fence of their privileges."

A DISPUTE SETTLED.
A farmer of the county of Philadelphia
claimed of the executor of a person de-
ceased, a large tree, which he alleged, he had
purchased of the testator in his life time.—
The executor was not satisfied that the
claim was a just one, and for two years this
tree was a faithful subject of dispute. At
length the claimant became importunate
and peremptorily demanded the tree, which
was as peremptorily refused by the execu-
tor:

"So high at last the contest rose,
From words they almost came to blows."
And having expended much wind and
many words, they separated with a firm re-
solution on the part of the claimant, at all
hazards, to take the tree *vi et armis*; and a
day last week was fixed upon to cut down,
take and carry the said tree and convert
the same to his own use. But he was pre-
vented from carrying his resolve into execu-
tion, by an order of sequestration from the
High Chancellor of Heaven, for on the day
previous to that fixed upon for cutting the
tree it was struck with lightning, and liter-
ally shivered in splinters even to the roots.

Vain man, remember that it is in the power
of Omnipotence to frustrate thy most fixed
and determined purposes.

(American Centinel.

PHENOMENON.
Some accounts which we have just re-
ceived from our friends, who are sojourning
for the summer, in the immediate neighbor-
hood of the ocean, are at once so singular
in themselves and so respectable as to their
sources, that we have no hesitation in lay-
ing them before the public. It is stated
that our whole sea board as well as the wa-
ters which bound and intersect it, are at
present strewn with the carcasses of fish.
Not only the kinds which are usually caught
there, are seen in great variety and im-
mense abundance, but some species are

occasionally found, with which our fishing
gentry have never before had any acquaint-
ance. The appearances thus presented are
at once interesting and mournful. Although
the fish are in general, when met with, per-
fectly dead, this is not always the case; and
when those which still retain signs of life
are from motives of curiosity thrown again
into deep water, the only use they appear
to make of their remaining powers of mus-
cular action, is to escape from the element
for which nature designed them, and to re-
gain the beach on which they have been
cast. About three weeks ago, five or six
large fish, of the whale species, were dis-
covered dead upon the beach, within a few
miles of the entrance to our harbor. This
unusual occurrence excited much surprise
at the time, and it is more than probable
that it was produced by the same cause
which is now operating so fatally upon the
lesser fish. With regard to what this cause
is, much difference of opinion will doubt-
less exist. It is remarkable that the surface
of the sea is frequently coated over with
an extraneous substance of a dark and oily
appearance. The existence of these two
phenomena at the same time, forms the be-
lief that they are in some way connected
with each other. We will submit them
however to the curiosity of those who have
enjoyed better opportunities than we have
of informing themselves on such subjects,
after venturing to support the only expla-
nation that has happened to occur to us.—
For the last six weeks, the wind has blown
with little or no change, and almost with-
out intermission from the southward and
westward. The consequence is known to
be that a strong and steady current has for
some time past been setting along the coast
to the northward and eastward. May not
the action of this current, (which is be-
lieved to be without an example) have had an
effect to bare the copper banks that have
been ascertained to abound in the more
southern latitudes? And if so, may not the
increased exposure of these banks have im-
parted to the 'watry deep,' the poisonous
existence it seems to bear upon its 'moun-
tain wave.' (Wingate Intelligencer.

BRITISH THEATRES.
The decline of theatrical patronage in
England has long been complained of, and
seems to continue. At a late meeting of
the proprietors of the Drury Lane Theatre,
it was officially announced, that the loss dur-
ing the late seasons, averaged 100l. per
night, and that the institution was thirty
thousand pounds in debt. The committee
of the proprietors called the actors and ac-
tresses together, to propose to them a re-
duction of their salaries, when the follow-
ing proceedings took place:

On Saturday there was a meeting of the
committee of the proprietors and perform-
ers of Drury Lane theatre. Of the com-
mittee the Duke of Bedford, the Earl of Es-
sex, Lord Yarmouth, &c. were present.

Mr. Peter Moore opened the business.
He stated, that the circumstances of the
theatre were such as to render it impossible
to go on without a very material and im-
mediate change in the receipts at the doors—
and as that could not be contemplated, it
became necessary to make an application
to those who had large salaries at the
theatre, with a view of continuing the ex-
istence of the concern. He took this op-
portunity of bearing testimony to the tal-
ents of the performers, whose abilities
were universally acknowledged, and of ad-
mitting that they were fully entitled to
the salaries they were paid. At the same
time, he must be acknowledged that he
and his colleagues had acted upon the most
disinterested principles—and the proposi-
tion he had to make would, no doubt, be
received as proceedings from a motive the
most worthy.

The proposition was that each performer
who had upwards of 4l. a week should al-
low a reduction to take place. The gra-
dation should take place according to the
extent of the salary. In that of some one
fourth; of others one third, and in others
where the salaries were very great, one-
half.

The actors looked amazed.
Lord Yarmouth also eulogized the tal-
ents of the company, and declared, that if
the proposition was not acceded to, the
theatre must be closed.

Mr. Dowton.—Then let it close. My
voice is but the voice of an individual upon
the establishment, but I should never relin-
quish one farthing of my salary. I am as-
hamed to see a set of Noblemen and gen-
tlemen attempting to oppress a few in-
dividuals. I am myself the proprietor of
many theatres in the country, by some of
which I lose 40l. a week, and I should
blush to call the performers together to
give up a shilling for my benefit.—Talk
of Noblemen! I would not wish to offend
people of rank, but I do not think them su-
perior either in feeling or judgment to
other people.

A conversation took place, in which it
was said by a committee-man, that he knew
but of three persons who had engaged-
ments.

Mrs. Bartley observed, that the principle
to refuse to recognize engagements might
be acted upon by any new committee, and
attempts, of course, made to deprive the
performers of their salaries at every new
appointment.

Committee-man.—If we allow a fort-
night's salary to each of you, will you ac-
cept of the proposition?

Actors.—No; no; no compromise; we
will have our bond.

Mr. Dowton, (addressing himself to the
committee.) If you are in want of money,
I will give you a draft for 500l. on my ban-
ker, by which you will be enabled to go on
a little time.

The committee then wished to know
whether they would consent to give the
concern credit for their salaries during the
season?

Mr. Dowton.—I have no objection, pro-
vided you give me security.
Committee-man.—Security! can you
expect that we will give you personal secu-
rity?

Mr. Dowton.—Certainly; if you do not,
we cannot give credit.
It was then intimated to the committee,
that the performers wished to be left to
themselves in order to come to a regular
decision. The committee withdrew, and
the proposition was negatived, there being
about five hands for it and thirty against it.

I laughed heartily the other day, at the
ingenuity and presence of mind by which
an English Sergeant at Law, celebrated for
bullying and brow-beating witnesses, sa-
ved himself from the indignity and corporal
pain of a good flogging. He had, it ap-
pears, on the western circuit, most grossly
insulted a respectable gentleman in court,
in the course of a cross examination. The
next morning, very early, the insulted party
procceeded to the lodgings of the advocate,
with a good horse whip in his hand, and re-
quested of the clerk to see his master, al-
leging that he had business of great im-
portance with him; the clerk showed the
gentleman into his bed room, where he lay
fast asleep, and upon his awakening, was
addressed by his visitor as follows:—"Sir,
I am the person whom you so scandalously
'treated yesterday in court, without any rea-
son, and I am come personally to chastise
you with this horse whip for your insolence."
"Are you indeed," replied the barrister,
"but surely you would not strike a man in
bed?" "no sir, I pled a my honor not to
do that," said the gentleman. "Then, by
my merit," exclaimed the sergeant, "I will
lie here all day long." The humor of the
thought disarmed the anger of the affronted
gentleman, and bursting into a fit of laugh-
ter, he said, "there sir, you may lie as long
as you like; I will not molest you this time;
but let me recommend you never again to
hold up a person of respectability, whose
only object is to tell the truth, to the deri-
sion of a court of justice," and left the man
of law to console himself.

(Brydon's tour through Sicily.

"SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES."
Would you wish, amidst the great variety
of religious systems in vogue, to make a
right distinction, and prefer the best?—re-
collect the character of Christ; keep a
steady eye on that universal and permanent
goal—will to men in which he lived, by
which he suffered, and for which he died.
What would you expect from a mind so
purely and habitually benign? Is it pos-
sible to suppose that a heart thus warm and
wide could harbor a narrow wish or utter a
partial sentiment? Most luckily, in this
point the fullest satisfaction is in every
man's power. Go search the religion he
has left, to the bottom—not in those arti-
ficial theories, which have done it the most
essential injury; nor in their manner who
assume his name, but overlook his exam-
ple, and who are talking forever about the
virtues which adorn his life; not in those
wild and romantic opinions, which, to make
us Christians would make us fools; but in
those inspired writings, which contain his
genuine history and his blessed gospel, and
which in the most peculiar manner lead to
eternal happiness.

State of the weather in Alexandria.
August 6.—At 2 p. m. 38 degrees.

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.
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occasionally found with which our fishing gentry have never before had any acquaintance. The appearance thus presented at once interesting and mournful. Although the fish are in general, when met with, perfectly dead, this is not always the case; and when those which still retain signs of life are from motives of curiosity thrown again into deep water, the only use they appear to make of their remaining powers of muscular action, is to escape from the element for which nature designed them, and to remain on the beach on which they have been cast. About three weeks ago, five or six large fish, of the whale species, were discovered dead upon the beach, within a few miles of the entrance to our harbor. This unusual occurrence excited much surprise at the time, and it is more than probable that it was produced by the same cause which is now operating so fatally upon the lesser fish. With regard to what this cause is, much difference of opinion will doubtless exist. It is remarkable that the surface of the sea is frequently coated over with an extraneous substance of a dark and oily appearance. The existence of these two phenomena at the same time, forms the belief that they are in some way connected with each other. We will submit them however to the curiosity of those who have enjoyed better opportunities than we have of informing themselves on such subjects, after venturing to support the only explanation that has happened to occur to us.—For the last six weeks, the wind has blown with little or no change, and almost without intermission from the southward and westward. The consequence is known to be that a strong and steady current has for some time past been setting along the coast to the northward and eastward. May not the action of this current, (which is believed to be without an example) have had an effect to bare the copper banks that have been ascertained to abound in the more southern latitudes? And if so, may not the increased exposure of these banks have imparted to the "watry deep," the poisonous existence it seems to bear upon its "mountain wave." [Winyaw Intelligencer.]

BRITISH THEATRES.
The decline of theatrical patronage in England has long been complained of, and seems to continue. At a late meeting of the proprietors of the Drury Lane Theatre, it was officially announced, that the loss during the late seasons, averaged 100l. per night, and that the institution was thirty thousand pounds in debt. The committee of the proprietors called the actors and actresses together, to propose to them a reduction of their salaries, when the following proceedings took place:

On Saturday there was a meeting of the committee of the proprietors and performers of Drury Lane theatre. Of the committee the Duke of Bedford, the Earl of Essex, Lord Yarmouth, &c. were present. Mr. Peter Moore opened the business. He stated, that the circumstances of the theatre were such as to render it impossible to go on without a very material and immediate change in the receipts at the doors; and as that could not be contemplated, it became necessary to make an application to those who had large salaries at the theatre, with a view of continuing the existence of the concern. He took this opportunity of bearing testimony to the talents of the performers, whose abilities were universally acknowledged, and of admitting that they were fully entitled to the salaries they were paid. At the same time it must be acknowledged that he and his colleagues had acted upon the most disinterested principles—and the proposition he had to make would, no doubt, be received as proceedings from a motive the most worthy.

The proposition was that each performer who had upwards of 4l. a week should allow a reduction to take place. The graduation should take place according to the extent of the salary. In that of some one fourth, of others one third, and in others where the salaries were very great, one half.

The actors looked amazed. Lord Yarmouth also eulogized the talents of the company, and declared, that if the proposition was not acceded to, the theatre must be closed.

Mr. Dowton.—Then let it close. My voice is but the voice of an individual upon the establishment, but I should never relinquish one farthing of my salary. I am ashamed to see a set of Noblemen and gentlemen attempting to oppress a few individuals. I am myself the proprietor of many theatres in the country, by some of which I lose 40l. a week, and I should blush to call the performers together to give up a shilling for my benefit.—Talk of Noblemen! I would not wish to offend people of rank, but I do not think them superior either in feeling or judgment to other people.

A conversation took place, in which it was said by a committee-man, that he knew but of three persons who had engaged themselves.

Mrs. Bartley observed, that the principle to refuse to recognize engagements might be acted upon by any new committee, and attempts of course, made to deprive the performers of their salaries at every new appointment.

Committee-man.—If we allow a fortnight's salary to each of you, will your acquiescence in the proposition?

Actors.—No; no; no compromise; we will have our bond.

Mr. Dowton, (addressing himself to the committee.) If you are in want of money, I will give you a draft for 500l. on my banker, by which you will be enabled to go on a little time.

The committee then wished to know whether they would consent to give the concern credit for their salaries during the season?

Mr. Dowton.—I have no objection, provided you give me security.
Committee-man.—Security! can you expect that we will give you personal security?
Mr. Dowton.—Certainly; if you do not, we cannot give credit.
It was then intimated to the committee, that the performers wished to be left to themselves in order to come to a regular decision. The committee withdrew, and the proposition was negatived, there being about five hands for it and thirty against it.

I laughed heartily the other day, at the ingenuity and presence of mind by which an English Sergeant at Law, celebrated for his bold and brow-beating witnesses, saved himself from the indignity and corporal pain of a good flogging. He had, it appears, on the western circuit, most grossly insulted a respectable gentleman in court, in the course of a cross examination. The next morning, very early, the insulted party proceeded to the lodgings of the advocate, with a good horsewhip in his hand, and requested of the clerk to see his master, alleging that he had business of great importance with him; the clerk showed the gentleman into his bedroom, where he lay just asleep, and upon his awakening, was addressed by his visitor as follows:—Sir, I am the person whom you so scandalously treated yesterday in court, without any reason, and I am come personally to chastise you with this horsewhip for your insolence. "Are you indeed," replied the barrister, "but surely you would not strike a man in bed?" "No sir," I pled, "my honor not to do that," said the gentleman. "Then, by my merit," exclaimed the sergeant, "I will lie here till doomsday." The humor of the thought disarmed the anger of the affronted gentleman, and bursting into a fit of laughter, he said, "there sir, you may lie as long as you like; I will not molest you this time; but let me recommend you never again to hold up a person of respectability, whose only object is to tell the truth, to the derision of a court of justice," and left the man of law to console himself.

[Brydon's tour through Sicily.]

"SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES."
Would you wish, amidst the great variety of religious systems in vogue, to make a right distinction, and prefer the best?—recollect the character of Christ; keep a steady eye to that universal and permanent good-will to men in which he lived, by which he suffered, and for which he died. What would you expect from a mind so purely and habitually benign? Is it possible to suppose that a heart thus warm and wide could harbor a narrow wish or utter a partial sentiment? Most luckily, in this point the fullest satisfaction is in every man's power. Go search the religion he has left, to the bottom—not in those artificial theories, which have done it the most essential injury; nor in their manner who assume his name, but overlook his example, and who are talking forever about the merits of his death, at the expense of those virtues which adorn his life; not in those wild and romantic opinions, which, to make us Christians would make us fools; but in those inspired writings, which contain his genuine history and his blessed gospel, and which in the most peculiar manner lead to eternal happiness.

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August 7

Fresh Lemons & Almonds.

RECEIVED by the ship Fair-Trader,

Captain Fletcher,

18 boxes fresh lemons in good order

2200 do soft shelled almonds, of the first quality.—For sale at Vowell's wharf by

E. CORNING.

August 7

Washington Inn.

Corner of King & Pitt streets, Alexandria.

H. CLAGETT

RESPECTFULLY informs the public

that he has lately taken the above

stand (which is now calculated to afford

comfortable accommodations), and will

spare no exertions to please those who may

favor him with their custom. An excellent

Stable is attached to the Inn, and careful

attendants will be constantly in readiness

to obey the calls of travellers.

August 7

New Tavern,

ON THE LEEBURG ROAD.

WASHINGTON DRANE

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends

and the public generally, that he has

opened a house of entertainment at his new

building, on the road leading from George-

town to Leesburg, 15 miles from the former,

and 15 miles from the latter place.—

The house and furniture are new and elegant,

and every attendance and requisite

have been provided for the accommodation

of either parties of pleasure or persons on

business. There is an excellent spring of

water on the place, excellent perhaps by

none in the state of Virginia. The distance

from Georgetown, Washington or Alex-

andria, being an agreeable ride, he anticipates

a share of public patronage, which he

hopes his assiduity to business will justify

him in.

August 7

English Cheese.

A FEW excellent English Cheese, just

received and for sale by

LOUIS BEELER.

August 6

Lawrason & Fowle

HAVE received by schr Adeline, capt.

Runney, and for sale,

15 pipes French brandy

60 qr casks Malaga wine

August 6

For Sale,

A WOMAN WITH HER MALE CHILD.

SHE is a good washer, ironer and cook.

To prevent unnecessary inquiries, she

is not to be sold out of the district, and her

price is 400 dollars. Inquire of the printer.

August 6

For Norfolk,

THE regular trading schr GEO.

WASHINGTON, will sail on Satur-

day, 8th inst. For freight or passage, apply

on board at Ramsay's wharf, or to

JOHN MCCOBB.

August 6

Coffee.

25,000 lbs. prime green coffee

For sale by

BARNEWALL & FOPHAM.

August 3

Wanted to purchase,

A STEADY Horse for a gig.

Inquire of the Printer.

August 5

Sweat proof Suspenders.

THE subscriber has a few of the above

articles, of his own manufacture, for

sale at 50 cents per pair.

RICHARD HORWELL.

N. B. An assortment of his patent silk

webb, cotton do, and best double nett, as

usual.

August 6

Shrub,

Made of fresh fruit.

ON sale at

JACOB HOFFMAN'S

Sugar refinery.

August 4

Waggon & Team for sale.

I WISH to sell my waggon and team, con-

sisting of five good strong horses and an

excellent waggon. For terms, apply to Mr

John Wood, cooper, in Alexandria.

GEORGE BOWLING.

August 4

Connecticut Ploughs.

JUST received and for sale by

NEWTON KEENE,

150 Connecticut Ploughs

August 3

Coffee, Salt, Rum, &c.

LINDSAY & HILL have just received

and for sale,

456 bags and barrels green and white

8000 bushels Liverpool ground salt

1000 do Turke Island do

23 puncheons West India rum

12 do N England do

7 pipes Holland gin

6 hds molasses

20 serous Spanish Tobacco, good

100 kegs white lead; 6 bags pepper

5 hds loaf sugar, N Y manufactory

50 boxes mould and dipt candles

320 barrels mess and gross shad, for

family use; 40 do gross herrings

ALSO.

A few papers Cobbett's celebrated Rus-

sia Turnip Seed

August 3

Prunello and Silk Shoes.

JUST received, (direct from France)

23 doz. black, green, buff, cinnamon,

white, brown and dove colored silk

and prunello shoes, of superior quality; a few

dozen glazed shoes.

ALSO.

On hand, an extensive assortment of ladies'

and misses' kid, morocco and leather shoes;

gentlemen's fine boots, shoes and pumps;

common and coarse shoes and pumps; boys'

and children's do; first and second quality

Baltimore hats; low priced men's and boys'

do; water proof plaid do.—For sale whole-

sale and retail by the subscriber at his

store, King street.

WM. TRUE.

August 3

Shoes.

S. & D. REED

HAVE just received a general assort-

ment of Shoes, which they offer for

sale on accommodating terms, by wholesale

or retail.

July 23

N. E. Rum, Brandy, &c.

LAWRASON & FOWLE have just re-

ceived for sale,

10 hds N E Rum

100 bbls

3 pipes Cognac Brandy

3 do Holland Gin

30 boxes soft shelled Almonds

50 do Chelmsford Glass, sizes fr.

8 by 10 to 12 by 14

150 casks Nails and Brads, assorted,

from 2d to 30d

5000 lbs Sugar Paper

10 boxes Lemons

July 10

Fresh Dry Goods.

THE subscribers have just opened a va-

riety of Fancy Articles, purchased in

Philadelphia, at auction, with cases, which

they offer for sale at very low prices.

H. W. ASHTON & Co.

Corner of King and Fairfax streets

July 30

Wanted to Purchase,

A BOY of good disposition, from 12 to

16 years of age. One accustomed

to house work would be preferred. Apply

to the printer.

July 28

Lawrason & Fowle

HAVE for sale, landing from schooner

Eliza, captain Weeks, from N. York,

20 pipes Holland Gin of superior quality,

1st and 2d proof

Also in store,

A few pipes French Brandy, of excellent

quality

August 1

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE now landing, and offer for sale,

8 tons Russia clean hemp

100 reams No. 1 and 2 foolscap writ-

ing paper.

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Green Coffee.

FORTY bags prime green coffee, just

received per sloop Ocean, for sale by

JOHN JACKSON & Co.

July 27

Feathers.

A FEW hundred weight of fresh LIVE

FEATHERS, just received and for

sale by

WM. GILMAN.

ON HAND.

Fresh olives and capers

LP Madeira, Sicily do, Burgundy do,

Old Port in bottles and in draft, Claret in

bottles, Muscat do—WINE

Cognac brandy; Holland gin

Jamaica, Grenada and Antigua rum

Spanish chocolate of a very superior

quality—Togeth with a general assortment

of GROCERIES.

July 22

S. Drew,

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

To Rent,

The Brick Warehouse at the corner of Prince & Union streets, now occupied by Caldwell & Jackson—the stand for a grocery, ship chandlery, or auction store, equal to any in the place—Immediate possession can be given.

Also to Rent,

The Compting Room, and part of all the Brick Warehouse occupied by Lindsay & Hill—Possession given on the 1st of Aug. May 25. LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Indian Queen Tavern.

The subscriber offers for sale the Lease on the House he now occupies as a TAVERN, which has four and a half years to run. It is one of the most eligible and central situations in town, and commands a large share of country custom. He also offers all the household and kitchen

Furniture, Servants, &c.
Immediate possession will be given.
JAMES SHEPHERD
June 26

Plaster Land.

The subscriber offers for sale a FARM of 450 acres, being part of the tract whereon he resides in Fauquier county, Va. More than one-third of this farm is in timber, and is land of the richest quality. The cleared land is in good heart, having had the advantage of a clover lay, and no soil being more susceptible of plaster improvement. He would also dispose of a lot of 50 acres, the whole of which is in timber, and is first-rate tobacco and meadow land. On this lot has been erected well built saw mill, contiguous to which at the confluence of Broad and Mill runs is a most valuable site for a merchant mill. No property is better worth the attention of a person wishing to engage in such business. On the first mentioned farm are a commodious overseer's house, a new barn, stables, corn houses and negro quarters, and about 20 acres of timothy meadow.

THOMAS TURNER,
Near Hay Market Post-Office.
June 26

600 acres of Land for sale.

THIS Tract is situated in Westmoreland county, Virginia, adjacent to Mr. Garnett Hunter's Plantation, and contiguous to the waters of the Potomac. The neighborhood is good—water excellent, and very desirable situations for building. A considerable proportion of the land is well timbered, besides a good deal of cedar, pine and other wood, sufficiently convenient to make it an object for those who may be disposed to send it to market—it is nearly equi-distant from Baltimore, Washington and Norfolk.

Any one wishing to purchase may apply to
ROGER JONES,
Alexandria.

Also, a very valuable LOT, containing 140 acres, being a part of the late Mr. John Turberville's tract—within 6 miles of Georgetown, 3 from the Little Falls Bridge, and near to the turnpike leading from thence to Wiley's, in Fairfax county, Va. A great proportion of this land is exceedingly well timbered, and that part which is not, is so recently cleared as to be in an active state for cultivation, and already in a productive condition. For terms, apply to PAUL C. JONES, esq. in Leesburg, Va. or to R. JONES.
March 30

Public Sale.

WILL pre-emptorily be sold for cash on the 21st of August next at 12 o'clock, at the Coffee House in the town of Alexandria, Five shares in the Georgetown Bridge Stock. Also, the following tracts of Land, to wit:—One containing 7,813 acres in Mason county, Kentucky, on the waters of the Sandy; one other containing 7,760 acres in Randolph county, state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Henry Banks; one other containing 3,000 acres on the waters of Elk river, Randolph county; one other containing 438 acres in Hampshire county, on the waters of Patterson creek, about 2 miles from Frankfort; one other containing 50,000 acres in the county of Kenawha, on the main right hand fork of Big Sandy river, on the east side.—The tracts will be divided if required.—The plots and description of the lands may be seen at the counting-house of the subscriber.

JONAH THOMPSON,
Agt. for the assignee of col. Jos. May.
June 29

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, April Term, 1818.
Henry Boswell

The representatives of John Webster, dec. and against Rezin Webster.

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause on the 1st day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William R. Webster, according to law.

It is ordered, that this rule as to Rezin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria papers for eight weeks successively.

A true copy from the records.
Test, EDM. J. LEE, C. C.
July 25

Valuable Building Lots.

THE Subscriber will lease on Ground Rent forever, or for a term of years, Building Lots of different sizes, in the 4th ward of the town, and in the neighborhood of it. They are convenient to the water, and the soil is well suited to the production of early vegetables. He also would rent, or let upon shares to good farmers,

Several Improved Farms,

in the adjoining counties, some of which adjoin the town of Centerville, in Fairfax, and others a few miles distant from it in Prince William. Liberal terms would be given to such as would improve the soil.
J. H. HOOE,
July 17

For Sale,

A VALUABLE FARM, containing between six and seven hundred acres of land, the greater part of which is in timber, and adjoins the land of Charles Thift and Edmond J. Lee, esq. and extends to the road from Leesburg to the mill lately known as Miller's Mill, on Goose Creek, and not more than three quarters of a mile from the turnpike road now making. The furthest boundary of this land is not more than three miles from Leesburg, and the nearest, which is in timber, not more than one mile and a half. The timbered land will be laid off into 10 or 15 acre lots, reserving a sufficient quantity for the land now cleared and in cultivation. It is unnecessary to say that this land is as well adapted to plaster as any in that part of the country; and if not sold at private sale previous to the September Leesburg court, will be then offered at public sale, and the terms made known on the day.

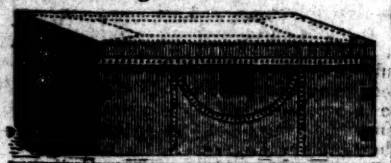
There are fifteen or twenty negroes residing on the farm that may be purchased with it if wanted.

LONDON CARTER.

Sabine Hall, June 1[5] fmvta

Umbrella, Parasol and Trunk Manufactory.

A SMALL assortment of elegant PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS for sale at the store formerly occupied by Mr. Samuel Kirk, in King-street, 2 doors below Washington-street.



Likewise a good assortment of Fancy and Common Trunks, in nests or single.

A constant supply of the above goods at the Philadelphia prices, wholesale and retail.

DANIEL PIERCE.

N. B. Umbrellas, parasols, and trunks repaired in the best manner at short notice.
May 8—ws

40 BOXES 8 by 10, 10 by 12, 7 by 9, 12 by 16, 12 by 18, 14 by 18 Window Glass, just received and for sale by
TH. H. HOWLAND.

District of Columbia, to wit:

Alexandria County, April Term, 1818.

IN CHANCERY.

James Blaxham, Assignee of Thomas W. Peyton—Complainant,

versus

Eben Taylor, John Roberts and David H. Allen; the two last trading under the firm of Roberts and Allen—Defendants.

THE defendant, Eben Taylor, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Eben Taylor is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said Complainant, by his Counsel, it is ordered, That the said Defendant, Eben Taylor, do appear here on the first day of the next Court, and enter his appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Roberts and Allen, do not pay away, convey, or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Eben Taylor, until the further order or decree of this Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this country, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the Court-House of said County.

Test. G. DENEALE, C. C.

June 2

Potomac Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at Mr. Brown's tavern in Alexandria, on Monday the 3d August next, at 11 A. M. for the purpose of electing a president and four directors for the ensuing year, and transacting other business of the company.—And that the president and directors will hold a meeting at Mr. Simms's tavern in Georgetown on Monday the 10th of August next, for the purpose of appointing the following officers, to wit:—A person to act as treasurer and clerk of the works; one to act as toll gatherer at Harper's Ferry; one to act as toll gatherer and gatekeeper at the great falls, and one to act in the same capacity at the little falls.

By order of the board,
JOSEPH BREWER, Treas.
July 6

Notice.

THE delinquent stockholders in the Leesburg Turnpike Road Company will please to take notice, that their first instalment, required by the president and directors of said company, of ten dollars on each share of stock by them subscribed, was due and payable on the first day of Sept. last—the second instalment of ten dollars on each share on the first day of Jan. and the third instalment of ten dollars on each share will be due on the first day of July next, and if not punctually paid on or before the 15th of Aug. next, they will be dealt with as the law directs.

SAM'L CARR, Treas.
Leesburg, June 22

THE subscriber will apply to the bank of Alexandria for a renewal of the following certificates of stock now standing in the name of Joseph Conway, deceased the same having been lost or mislaid:—Nos. 336; 498; 1166; 1167; 1168; 1169; 1773; 1774; 1775; 1845; 2070; 2071; 2072; 2073; 2074; 1551; 1561; 1817; 1818; 2081.

WM. HERBERT, Jun. Adm'r.
June 25

Charles County Court, March Term, 1818.

ON application to Charles County court by petition in writing of John Smith, of Charles County, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain, being annexed to his petition, and the court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said John Smith has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application, in the state of Maryland, and being also satisfied that the said John Smith is in actual confinement for debt, and the said John Smith having entered into bond with sufficient security for his personal appearance in Charles County court, to answer such allegations as his creditors may make against him—it is therefore ordered and adjudged that the said John Smith be discharged from imprisonment; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the District of Columbia, once a week for two months successively before the third Monday of August next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said Court, at Charlestown, in said county, on the said third Monday of August next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause why the said John Smith should not have the benefit of the several insolvent laws as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of June 1818.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Clk.
June 27

Dr. Thomson's System of Chemistry.

IN FOUR VOLUMES OCTAVO. THE preceding edition of Dr. Thomson's Chemistry, had acquired so much reputation both in England and upon the continent of Europe, that a new edition, comprising the new facts with which the science had been enriched, and the new views of the subject which extended knowledge had suggested as indispensable, was eagerly looked for by the scientific world. A new edition has accordingly appeared, wherein the former edition of five volumes has been condensed into four.

All the new discoveries, and all the new theories of Chemical Phenomena, have been considered and embraced in the present improved edition; so that it is indispensable to the chemical student, as presenting the only condensed view of the changes and alterations in chemical doctrine, which the discoveries of the last ten years have suggested. No apology therefore can be necessary for reprinting such a book in this country; for the press does not furnish a substitute for it. But, there is so much theoretical suggestion—so much abstruse calculation—so much fact of dubious authority—and so much dubious validity—that notes and illustrations are absolutely necessary, not merely to render the book more useful, but more intelligible.

Under these impressions, I thought fit to write notes in illustration (and sometimes in contradiction) of the work itself, rather than to make any abridgement of it. Those who wish to know the modern views of chemical science, must peruse it; and to very many who will be anxious to study it, elucidation will be necessary. I have endeavored to supply these, to the best of my ability; regardless whether my own opinions are in dissonance or coincidence with those of my author; leaving to the reader to decide between us.

The work will be published, with notes and illustrations, in four volumes 8vo.

THOMAS COOPER, M. D.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be printed on a superfine paper, with a new small pic letter, and will be published early in the ensuing summer.

II. It will be illustrated with a number of cuts, of which several have been necessarily added to the London edition.

III. It will be delivered to subscribers at \$12 to non-subscribers at \$14, in boards. The London edition sells for \$18.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD, At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets, Dry Goods, Groceries, &c. Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Ship Timber, &c.

THE subscriber, residing on Matta-woman Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of (standing) a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot.

WM. MASON.

May 8

Was Committed

TO the jail of Alexandria county, as a runaway, on the 16th inst. a Negro man, who calls himself WILLIAM WILSON; says he is free born, and was raised in New-York; he is about 5 feet 2 inches high, full face and eyes, well set, black complexion, and about 23 years of age. He has been in the district about one year. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.

AN'W ROUNSAVELL.

June 20

Jailor.

James Kennedy & Son, RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have just received from

LEE'S MEDICINE STORE,

No. 46, Maiden lane, New-York, a fresh supply of the following valuable MEDICINES:

Hamilton's Worm-destroying Lozenges,

Which have within sixteen years past cured an immense number of persons of both sexes of every age and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from WORMS, and from obstructions or foulness in the stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever to others of similar titles so commonly complained of as operating with violence; on the contrary a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and constitution. It contains nothing but what is perfectly innocent & is so mild in its operation that it cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady or the tenderest infant of a week old should no worms exist in the body; but will without pain or gripping cleanse the stomach and bowels of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms and many fatal disorders. The lozenges are particularly efficacious in carrying off all gross humors and eruptions, feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and mildest purgative that can be used on any occasion.

Description of Worms, and the symptoms by which they are known.

Worms which infest the human body are chiefly of four kinds viz.—The Terebr or large round worm; the Ascariid or small maw-worm; the Cucurbitid or short fat white worm; and lastly, the Tenuia or tape-worm, so called from its resemblance to tape. This is often many yards long and is full of joints. It is most hurtful and most difficult to remove.

Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite. Sometimes loathing food and some times voracious; purging with slimy and fetid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; pains in the head and thighs and lowness of spirits; slow fever with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance and sometimes the face bloated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms should have immediate recourse to Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, which have been constantly attended with success in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent "the vomiting and purging of children"—a dreadful disorder, which annually destroys thousands of the infant part of our citizens. It is likewise the mildest and most certain remedy known, and has restored to health and strength a great number when in an advanced stage of this fatal complaint. Particular and plain instructions are given for every part of the necessary treatment in such cases.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance, and an agreeable taste.

The Restorative Powder for the Teeth and Gums.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, September 25 King-st. Alexandria

For the prevention and cure of BILIOUS and MALIGNANT FEVERS is recommended.

Hahn's ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS

THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor's feelings in several parts of the West India and in the Southern and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons can be adduced, who have reason to believe that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy founded on mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience for believing that a dose of these Pills taken once in every two weeks during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventive; and farther, that in the earlier stages of those diseases their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation and of every age. They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile and prevent its morbid secretions—to restore and amend the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which are often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold if taken on its first appearance: they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficacious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

Hamilton's Elixir,

A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthma, sore throats, catarrhs, and approaching consumptions.—To persons who have children afflicted with the HOOPING COUGH, this discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorders to which children are liable. The Elixir is perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of Nervous Disorders, Violent cramps in Consumptions, the stomach and back, Loss of appetite, Indigestion, Impurity of blood, Melancholy, Hysterical affection, Gout in the stomach, Inward weaknesses, Pains in the limbs and debility, Relaxations, etc.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic cold, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Lee's Ointment for the Itch.

Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

Hahn's true & genuine German Corn Plaster.

An infallible remedy for corns, speedily removing them root and branch, without giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion,

So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellent minerals, the basis of other lotions, and of unparalleled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetter, ringworms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eye, whether the effect of natural weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops

For the cure of agues, remittent and intermittent fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, September 25 King-st. Alexandria

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For Norfolk,

The regular trading schmr GEO. WASHINGTON, will sail on Saturday, 31st inst. For freight or passage, apply on board at Ramsay's wharf, or to JOHN MCCOBB, St. August 6

For Lubec,

The substantial good schmr. PLANNET, E. Dyer, master.—Will sail direct to Lubec, and be despatched immediately.—For freight apply to the master on-board, or to ABIAH ADAMS, August 7—St. Central wharf.

Shoes.

S. & D. REED HAVE just received a general assortment of Shoes, which they offer for sale on accommodating terms, by wholesale or retail. July 23

Molasses, Paper, &c.

EIGHTY hhds choice retailing molasses 600 reams writing paper 20 hhds whiskey—for sale by MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. July 10

French Plaster.

ONE hundred and fifty tons on board the ship Washington, for sale by July 20 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Claret.

A FEW cases of Medoc Claret, of a superior quality, for sale by July 20 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Waggons, Furniture, &c.

SAMUEL WARD has received per brig Susan, and other late arrivals, a large quantity of Goods in his line, comprising the following articles: 80 waggons with harness, 3 with tops 300 chairs of different kinds 4 sofas and settees; children's chairs 6 sideboards of the newest fashion 40 bureaus of different prices 60 tables do 20 light stands do 10 work tables do 10 wash stands do 8 secretaries and book cases 150 looking glasses from 1 to 25 dols 3 dozen glass mats 2 dozen hearth and floor brushes 6 dressing bureaus 12 feather beds and mattresses 2000 feet mahogany in boards 1 dozen small hoes for gardening 4 gross bed screws; 1 doz bed keys 16 dozen bed caps; 15 doz table hinges 6 dozen sack bottoms at 18s 16 portable desks ALSO, 70 trunks of different sizes 800 chair hats 100 boots, shoes and hats 16 saddles, bridles and whips 6 bundles of steel, very low priced Cast steel axes and common do LIKEWISE, 10 kegs butter 10 bbls New-England Rum 4 bbls crackers of the first quality TOGETHER WITH Letter paper and bills of lading All of which will be sold on good terms at the Cabinet warehouse, foot of Prince-st. July 13

Wm. Devaughn,

HAIR-DRESSER AND PERFUMER, Royal-street, Alexandria.

HAS just received and offers for sale at his shop, a few cases of Razors, of a superior quality, for travelling, with six blades. ALSO, Ladies' and gentlemen's dressing cases; Cloth brushes; hat do; hair do; nail do Shaving do; tooth do; rouge in pots Almond paste; oil Antiquus; pomatum Cologne water; lavender do; of superior quality; hair powder; powder puffs Naples soap for shaving; vegetable do Rose do; palm do; wash balls Shaving soap; tuck combs; pocket do Dressing do; pocket books Pencil cases; beaver gloves; whips Webb's N. York suspenders; French do Hopkins's razorstrops; Packwood's do Shaving boxes; shaving glasses Cans and rattans; watch chains And a variety of other articles, too tedious to mention. July 21

A Dry Nurse,

WHO can come well recommended as to character and disposition, may obtain good wages and an eligible situation by applying at the office of the Gazette.—None other need apply. A middle aged or elderly colored woman, accustomed to the care of children, would be preferred.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the night of the 7th June inst. an apprentice to the Printing Business, named JOHN SETON, born in Ireland, between 16 and 17 years old, dark complexion, eyes and hair clad on and took with him a long blue cloth coat, second quality, gray ribbed pantaloons, striped summer vest, cotton stockings, ruffled shirt, a ruman hat, besides coarse shirts, a great coat of brown cloth, with a velvet collar, and silver hook and eye. A pair of blue cloth trousers, and other clothing not recollected. It is believed he is gone to New-York.

Whoever takes up said apprentice, confine him in any jail in the United States, and gives me legal information of the same, shall receive the above reward.

WILLIAM MCKORKLE,

Editor of the Freeman's Journal Philad.